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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. \$1.114 of the above-identified application.

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| 1. | amendm | ission required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 Note: If the RCE is proper, any previously filed unentered amendments and nents enclosed with the RCE will be entered in the order in which they were filed unless applicant instructs otherwise. If applicant twish to have any previously filed unentered amendment(s) entered, applicant must request non-entry of such amendment(s). |
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| | i. | Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on . |
| | ii. | Other: |
| b. | X | Enclosed |
| | <u>i.</u> | _ Amendment/Reply |
| | ii. | Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) |
| | iii. | Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) (0 pgs.); PTO Form 1449 (0 pgs.); 0 Cited References |
| | iv. | X Other: A Response to Advisory Action (17 pgs.) and two courtesy references. |
| 2. | <u>Miscel</u> | <u>llaneous</u> |
| a. | | Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. §1.103(c) |
| | ₹7 | for a period of 0 months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(i) required) |
| b. | <u>X</u> | Other: a return postcard |
| 3. | <u>Fees</u> | The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. §1.114 when the RCE is filed. |
| a. | $\overline{\mathbf{X}}$ | The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to |
| | | Deposit Account No. 501373 for any additional fees not covered by the check(s) enclosed herewith |
| b. | <u>X</u> | A check in the amount of \$790.00 is enclosed for RCE fee |
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